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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is the patent application of inventor(s) DAVID G. CUTLER and JEFFREY PALMER entitled METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DEVELOPING A DEVICE-INDEPENDENT PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE, for a(n):

- () Original Patent Application.
- (x) Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):
- () Continuation () Divisional () Continuation-in-part (CIP)
of prior Application Serial No. _____ filed on _____.
- (x) Regular Filings of Provisional Application Serial Nos. 60/303,827 filed on July 9, 2001 and 60/249,068 filed on November 15, 2000.
- (x) A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 has been added to the specification.
- (x) Applicant claims small entity status.

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- (x) Specification; 22 Total Pages (including title page) (x) Drawing(s); 3 Total Sheet(s).
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- (x) Other: Statement of Priority Claimed

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